

to and they can appreciate the chance of escape into
or a first-class railway carriage when it comes. Di

course, people say it wouldn't do to have two prices for front and back cars on the tram; but why not, if people are ready to pay them? It is a most undemocratic suggestion, of course, and one to be made with bated breath. But there it is.

It is astonishing with what ease soft sand accommodates itself to one's figure when you lie at length on the sea-shore with a cigarette, under an umbrella. I don't know that I ever noticed it to before. The best of it is when you get the world laid at your feet, and give no further trouble. There is the long stretch of sandy beach like the yellow crescent of the moon, stretching away to the left and right; and there in front of you "the maldivian laughter of the sea." Its rippling curves catch the sun and dance and gleam in never-ending

flow, with a motion that is almost rhythmic. And there are long waves that gather their strength, if not their volume, from the long wash of Australasia seas outside the Botany Bay's yonder, that last laved land perhaps on the shingles of some far Pacific isle, where cocoanuts and the feathery plants grow. They come on impetuously until within a few yards of the shore, when they suddenly and break themselves like living things, and catch the light on crystalline surfaces of transparent characters.

palette-kurl or imperiously fixed on the
They curl and crest, and poise awhile, and then
break into spray and foam as they rush up the
gleaming beach and spread themselves like the im-
portant longings of a sick man's fancy before the
fall comes again. And the waves, along the
shining shores are groups of boys and girls who
wade knee-deep into the pleasant surf, and splash
and enjoy the warm air and the water
and the sunlight; and dreaming love is waiting
by the sounding shore for the girls from the
names of their lovers in some-bath of the sea.
And now and then flashes the white mill of a
yacht, and out past the Heads drifts the smoke of a
steamer that comes and goes like a dream in the
far distance; and all around is the beach, as the
day and night to the end of the world.

The holiday-making working-man is in force out here to-day. Under the trees that fringe the sea and there are spread white cloths, and father and mother and children gather round this or that fringed band, under the greenwood, and enjoy themselves pleasantly together. He has all the best of it, if he only knew it—this working-man. He is a handy fellow, and a strong; and his children are sturdy and healthy, too. No care has he. He has his food, and clothes, and shelter, and money in his pocket.

to spend on a little picnic like this. He has eight hours' work a day, and in this warm climate he must have holidays, and he gets them. He is always a decent fellow, and a marked and creditable contrast to the class represented by the youth with the nasty turn for sports whom we saw coming out in the train. This festive class has its special day, too—holidays, too, of course. It is the type that makes holidays hideous, and scares decent people from holiday-making on holidays altogether, whereas it shows itself in sufficient force. It is loud and coarse-mouthed and hell-bent for mischief, and it has abundance and dismay to all who know it. But there is all the same, and seeing these two elements, so widely different, here together, one is apt to remember that some observers ascribe the minimum of turkification to the good conditions enjoyed by the working classes. They say that the more the slave under the eight-hour system is misused, the less

high wages are misapplied, and that the good conditions are abused by a section of the working class, and out of all this come no good results. It is under the prevailing statement of the eight-hour principle and all that goes with it as a law in practice as they are in theory. But there are exceptions, and as usual, the exceptions make more noise than the operation of the rule. When the eight-hour principle was first advocated it was said that the workers would turn to the social improvement of the working classes, and the cultivation of the intelligence of labour. The workers, man, and still more the working youth, would spend a portion of their spare time in study. They would learn the theories of science, and of their callings, and qualify themselves for any thing better than mere unmeaning manual

exertion alone. They would become acquainted with the laws and constitution under which they live, and qualify themselves to exercise the franchise intelligently. But the critics of the working-man sometimes say now that he has failed to do all that he expects to do. He has failed, indeed, in so far as that lawlessness is nothing more or less than all this run to seed and neglected. If critics who reason in that way would only visit a holiday resort like this, on an occasion like that of to-day, when the two classes are represented, he would see that the one has absolutely nothing whatever in common

with the other. The classes take their punishment differently, and in nothing are the differences so marked as in the case of people at picnics. It is not the worse youth who develops into criminals, but the lad who, earning six or seven shillings per day in a vegetable cart, works two or three days in the week and lacerates the net. The liberties and privileges of the working man as best in his own keeping. He would mean to take these wisely only by associating them with duty. There may be much to be learned from him, but all law is but an experiment. There are risks in every social experiment, and even if laceration were proved to be one of those risks, its existence would be no argument against the principle.

UNDERGROUND WATER IN THE WESTERN DISTRICTS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir.—I would here prefer that Mr. W. E.

Abbott, whose letter on the above appears in today's issue, had been more concerned in the past with the question of the subject matter of the work. The work from which I cited an extract is, I believe, the outcome of almost a life's study, and represents the opinions of a man who has taken care to arrive at his conclusions in such a manner that Mr. Abbott will have great difficulty in discounting them: and I regret that Mr. Hanft's temporary assumption that I myself prevented him from doing so is so present. I cannot reply as "an absurdity" to what after all amounts only to a speculation, expressed in a work which is not yet published. I have to say, however, that he has been favourably criticised by acknowledged authorities, is quoted routinely in daily newspapers, and is so generally admitted that the author boldly states many of the truths which hitherto have been accepted as the ground-work of political principles in connection with the question of slavery, but leaves no room opening for an opponent to oust him from the position taken up. However, Mr. Abbott's opinion would be entitled to respect, and I have brought forward my own views on the subject, and I trust that the great bodies of subscribers will

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AMUSEMENTS.

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DRAMATIC NOTES.

A note on the forthcoming Christmas Australasia. Sydney, to begin with, is aided for. The Theatre Royal will be tantamount of "Aladdin," written by Loyce and Toso Taylor, and produced by a gentleman. The company will include, who has been specially engaged, and Mr. George Walton, who has his favourite here by reason of his quantity of Miss Lee. The scenery will be artistic and experienced hand.

the first production here of a pantomime of "Aladdin" for seven years, and "Aladdin" was the first pantomime Williamson, Garner, and Musgrove joint management. At Her Majesty's George Rignold will revive Shakespeare's "A Midsummer-Night's Dream," on seen at work for two months past. He seen for the first time as Bottom will be Miss Kate Bishop. The rest of the cast at present definitely fixed, will be: Jessica, Mr. J. W. Hazlett; S. R. Barrett; Quince, Mr. S.

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and contemptuously of those prodigal septing "The Village Coquette," in appeared, and together with John Knitfour sang the songs and danced to music by Hulah. From the letter, however, to Harley at Frodo's, it appears that the first edition of Mr. Kitson publishes for the first time seems to have watched over the production with characteristic care, even to the extent of personal attention on the costumes, the setting being 1729. The letter is dated February 18, 1890, and contains the following remarks:—"Mr. Brahm has written to me several complaints of not having yet received 'The Village Coquette' from London. I must have them without delay. I am sorry that I am once again detained at home, but shall come out to-morrow, and will see you about the matter."—*Harley*. Perhaps, as you observe at the end of the letter, you will find some minutes in the schedule

The second and last week of Messrs. Warner and Niagara's opera company is to-night, when Andran and Farneselli's "Olivette" will be produced, with the same force and spirit and well-trained company, and marked by great delicacy. Miss Farneselli is the principal character. The production after the first is the most splendid of "Aldeddin" on Boxing Day.

HER MAJESTY'S.
Mr. Edwin Thorne, who nightly gives his audience, with consummate and charming impersonation of D'Artagnan, is engaged for six nights longer. He is to appear on Saturday, with Mr. Robert M. Brown, in the new dramatic romance, "The King of the Mountains," from Irving's famous legend, has won the hearts of the audience throughout America during some

and she will be supported by a cast identical with the former one. Mr. Piner's play will give way, next Tuesday, to "In Honour Bound" and "Turned Up." The new comedy, "Betsey," will be played in the bill. Messrs. Brough and Buccionelli's Christmas production will be a version of Sardou's "Nos Intimes," called "Friends."

THE SANTLEY-CHRISTIAN-HAZON CONCERT AT THE CENTENNIAL HALL.

The grand concert announced to be given by Mr. Charles Santley, Madame Christian, and Signor Hazon with his orchestra, takes place this afternoon. But very few of the spectators

MR. SNAZZELLE.

Mr. Snazzelle, by desire of many of the leading inhabitants of Sydney, will give a special evening with his orchestra, "Music, Song, and Story," at the Protestant Hall, on Saturday next. The entertainment will be under the patronage and in the presence of his Excellency the Governor and Lady Carrington.

Y. M. C. A. MUSICAL SOCIETY.

The Y. M. C. A. Musical Society will give its next concert on the evening of Friday, the 11th of February. The society will perform under Mr. Noble's direction. The programme will include the following songs, ten, several part songs by Frost, Bennett, Macdunn, Smith, Stenard-Lane, Bennett, Merritt-Lane, Barbary, and others. The instrumental programme will include the "Alfred Jay" and Mr. A. J. Soaric will contribute various songs. Miss Nancy Evans and Mr. Rivers Allsop will be heard in instrumental solo, and together with the orchestra will play "The Star of Bethlehem." Chamber Trio, Opus 20, for piano, violin, and violoncello.

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TRADES MATRONS

About 30 members attended the Tinnah's and then from Workers' Hall last evening at the Tinnah's. The Tinnah's (president) occupied the chair. A large number of members was transacted. The Tinnah's, however, to limit the more shares in the Trades Hall, made a total of 75.

The Tobacco Operators held their monthly meeting last night at the Tinnah's. The Tinnah's (president) occupied the chair. The Tinnah's (president) occupied the chair. The Tinnah's (president) occupied the chair.

STREET MATINITY.

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reached 3000 tons. In the latter Seventies such vessels as the Kaiser-i-Hind opened up another epoch in the range of 4000 tons and over; in the beginning of the Eighties we reached the 6000 tons mark; and in 1887 the four mentioned vessels of over 6000 tons were built. The Norddeutscher-Lloyd, with its Kaiser-Wilhelm II., has furnished the other companies, which have served us so well, with a rule to measure by so far as size is concerned. There is a difference, however, between the Peninsular and Oriental and the Orient Companies and the Norddeutscher Lloyd. The last-named is subsidised very heavily by the German Government, the other two get only £170,000 for carrying the mails, having in fact no direct subsidy. As for beauty and splendour the Kaiser-Wilhelm II. has enough to do to get a step beyond such vessels as the Britannia and the Ormuz. What the appearance, however, of this great vessel in our waters suggests, is the earnestness and determination of the German Government to establish a passenger trade with Australia.

We, of course, get the benefit of the enterprise of the German Company, and while it would scarcely appear that any foreign service would take away the patronage extended to the present English service, there is no reason why the attempt should not

10 tons of earth at Carcoar on Thursday, and
suffered severe injuries from which his recovery

But when we think of what service we had to perform for the Government, we may well afford to be thankful for what we have, and not regret that we have not more. In the days when the Great Eastern, with its 18,000 tons, was being built, there came to us the Simla, of 2,441 tons to take the place of the vessel which the Crimean War had absorbed, leaving us without any regular communication. The Simla would not compare in size with the Bulimba or the Waroona of the present fleet of the Australian Steamship Navigation Company, but in comfort it was modest enough when compared with such coasting steamers as the *Clara*, *Barcoo*, and others. The vessel which in the Sixties carried our mails to America would in no sense compare with our ordinary coasting steamers. We thought we were peculiarly fortunate when in the period of the third contract between the Peninsular and Oriental Line we had such vessels as the *Sarat* and the *Bangalore*; we had outgrown the

way stations and lines in the district.

have outgrown three generations of boats that followed those of the Surat and Bangalore type. Fifteen years ago the English mails were set down in Sydney within forty-nine days; they are now set down here within thirty-six days. The time taken to set mails down in Calcutta, in the island of Ceylon, in 1844 was thirty-eight days; they are now carried to Shanghai and to Sydney in less than that time, while they are carried to Bombay in sixteen and a-half days. And what this means we can hardly realise till we think upon the days of the *Sinica* and Great Westerns, the first vessels that steamed the Atlantic, with their recorded tonnage of about 800 tons. We have so far outgrown

loan is not yet absorbed.

and of the Peninsular and Oriental Company with its then crack steamer, the Himalaya, that it is good to be reminded of what we once were. We can then the better appreciate the advantages that fall to our hands.

But there comes up in this connection the consideration of the great cause of the progress in our steam service. Steamship companies do not increase their fleets unless commerce presses them to it. The total receipts from the Great Western in 1841, when plying the Atlantic, were £233,763; the revenue from the Peninsular and Oriental Company's vessels in 1867 was £2,225,662. Vessels make commerce possible, but labour must first produce, and that there may be commerce. And we have not to look far at the present moment to see the hand of enterprise

of Wales, has had a narrow escape from

Germany have given us lately a regular service with Samoa by their excellent steamers Lubek; Burns, Philip, and Company have opened up regular communication with New Guinea, the Messageries Company connect us by fine steamers heavily subsidized with New Caledonia, the Australasian United Steam Navigation Company send good steamers also to New Caledonia and to Fiji, and it is not improbable that it will give also a regular communication with the New Hebrides. The past five years have seen this done; what the next five years will do, it is hard to calculate closely. Our commerce is growing so fast, and the European countries are so cognizant now of our commercial importance, that

His Excellency the Governor, and several :
bers of the Ministry, made a special inspecti

three years ago great surprise. It is almost
thirty years since the German company
inaugurated its work here, and the pro-
cess of a fine service has been fulfilled.
Failure was pronounced for the British-
India Company, but it has succeeded, and
two new steamers of over 8000
tons have been put on the line; and
China trade has grown enormously, and
the progress of our coastal trade is best
marked by looking at the fleets of the two
companies that, competing upon the coast,
are constantly adding to the number of
large vessels that trade from Adelaide to
the Gulf of Carpentaria. It is only the
other day that the Australasian United
Steam Navigation Company added two
new vessels to their fleet. In our

pean steamship service emphasises epoch of leviathan steamers. The Ka

through it we are brought daily nearer to the heart of the working world. And not the least pleasing feature of the service is that it betokens an increase in our national importance in the eyes of great countries like Germany, an importance which we shall better understand as time goes on.

A question of some interest in connection with the regulation of places of public amusement is suggested by the recent session of the London County Council relative to the music-halls of that metropolis.

Chemist and insurance, are pleaded. The case will be continued on Monday.

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Catalogues new in the hands of the Tea Trade.
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1890.
At the
CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.
CATALOGUE
of
FIRST-CROP TEAS,
Season 1889-90.
Shipments ex s.s. Changsha and other steamers.
Under instructions from the Importer,
MR. M. T. REMINGTON.
NEW SEASON'S TEA.
1890. Field & Co. HONGKONG

1500 Quarter-chests PANYONG BUDS.
 Also,
 60 CHESTS INDIAN TEA.
 For
 POSITIVE SALE
 by
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 NESDAY, December 8, at 11 a.m., at the City Hall,
 As above.
 PARTICULARS OF CHOPS
 IN CATALOGUES NOW ISSUED.
 THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8.

at the
CITY HALL,
at 11 o'clock.

**STERN WHEEL RAILWAY BALLOON PASSENGER
TRAMWAY**
GENERAL ORDON,
Well known on the Hawkesbury River as running in connec-
tion with the Great Northern Railway between
Newcastle and Brisbane.

FRAZER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.
Particulars of this splendid vessel on application to the
Auctioneers.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4,
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TO WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRAPERS, STORE-

GENUINE UNRESERVED SALE
REASONABLE PRICES,
ORIGINAL PACKAGES and OPEN STOCK.

Fancy Prints, Zephyrs, Daisies, Satens, Home Spun
Muslins, Flannels, Damasks, Sheetings, Holland
Ladies' Jerseys, Costumes, Jaconets, Aprons, Pinafores
Milkers', Lanes, Gowns, Bed-bowdies
Men's and Boys' Superior ready-made Clothing
Boys' Sailor Suits, Washing suits
Cottons, Shirts, Men's and Boys' Underwear
Woolens, Flannels, and Knit-Boys Ties and Scarfs
Shawls, Calicoes, Sheetings, Furnishing Goods, &c.

BOOTS and SHOES. DRY and SHOES.

TERMS LIBERAL. AT SALE.

JAMES RODD and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7, Wynne-street, WILSON'S DAY December 4, at 11 o'clock.

The above.

CROWN LANDS.—WATER-PRONTAGES. THE DAY. Call for Rithes, Mills, Pits and Wilms, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 146th, 147th, 148th, 149th, 150th, 151st, 152nd, 153rd, 154th, 155th, 156th, 157th, 158th, 159th, 160th, 161st, 162nd, 163rd, 164th, 165th, 166th, 167th, 168th, 169th, 170th, 171st, 172nd, 173rd, 174th, 175th, 176th, 177th, 178th, 179th, 180th, 181st, 182nd, 183rd, 184th, 185th, 186th, 187th, 188th, 189th, 190th, 191st, 192nd, 193rd, 194th, 195th, 196th, 197th, 198th, 199th, 200th, 201st, 202nd, 203rd, 204th, 205th, 206th, 207th, 208th, 209th, 210th, 211st, 212th, 213th, 214th, 215th, 216th, 217th, 218th, 219th, 220th, 221st, 222nd, 223rd, 224th, 225th, 226th, 227th, 228th, 229th, 230th, 231st, 232nd, 233rd, 234th, 235th, 236th, 237th, 238th, 239th, 240th, 241st, 242nd, 243rd, 244th, 245th, 246th, 247th, 248th, 249th, 250th, 251st, 252nd, 253rd, 254th, 255th, 256th, 257th, 258th, 259th, 260th, 261st, 262nd, 263rd, 264th, 265th, 266th, 267th, 268th, 269th, 270th, 271st, 272nd, 273rd, 274th, 275th, 276th, 277th, 278th, 279th, 280th, 281st, 282nd, 283rd, 284th, 285th, 286th, 287th, 288th, 289th, 290th, 291st, 292nd, 293rd, 294th, 295th, 296th, 297th, 298th, 299th, 300th, 301st, 302nd, 303rd, 304th, 305th, 306th, 307th, 308th, 309th, 310th, 311st, 312th, 313th, 314th, 315th, 316th, 317th, 318th, 319th, 320th, 321st, 322nd, 323rd, 324th, 325th, 326th, 327th, 328th, 329th, 330th, 331st, 332nd, 333rd, 334th, 335th, 336th, 337th, 338th, 339th, 340th, 341st, 342nd, 343rd, 344th, 345th, 346th, 347th, 348th, 349th, 350th, 351st, 352nd, 353rd, 354th, 355th, 356th, 357th, 358th, 359th, 360th, 361st, 362nd, 363rd, 364th, 365th, 366th, 367th, 368th, 369th, 370th, 371st, 372nd, 373rd, 374th, 375th, 376th, 377th, 378th, 379th, 380th, 381st, 382nd, 383rd, 384th, 385th, 386th, 387th, 388th, 389th, 390th, 391st, 392nd, 393rd, 394th, 395th, 396th, 397th, 398th, 399th, 400th, 401st, 402nd, 403rd, 404th, 405th, 406th, 407th, 408th, 409th, 410th, 411st, 412th, 413th, 414th, 415th, 416th, 417th, 418th, 419th, 420th, 421st, 422nd, 423rd, 424th, 425th, 426th, 427th, 428th, 429th, 430th, 431st, 432nd, 433rd, 434th, 435th, 436th, 437th, 438th, 439th, 440th, 441st, 442nd, 443rd, 444th, 445th, 446th, 447th, 448th, 449th, 450th, 451st, 452nd, 453rd, 454th, 455th, 456th, 457th, 458th, 459th, 460th, 461st, 462nd, 463rd, 464th, 465th, 466th, 467th, 468th, 469th, 470th, 471st, 472nd, 473rd, 474th, 475th, 476th, 477th, 478th, 479th, 480th, 481st, 482nd, 483rd, 484th, 485th, 486th, 487th, 488th, 489th, 490th, 491st, 492nd, 493rd, 494th, 495th, 496th, 497th, 498th, 499th, 500th, 501st, 502nd, 503rd, 504th, 505th, 506th, 507th, 508th, 509th, 510th, 511st, 512th, 513th, 514th, 515th, 516th, 517th, 518th, 519th, 520th, 521st, 522nd, 523rd, 524th, 525th, 526th, 527th, 528th, 529th, 530th, 531st, 532nd, 533rd, 534th, 535th, 536th, 537th, 538th, 539th, 540th, 541st, 542nd, 543rd, 544th, 545th, 546th, 547th, 548th, 549th, 550th, 551st, 552nd, 553rd, 554th, 555th, 556th, 557th, 558th, 559th, 560th, 561st, 562nd, 563rd, 564th, 565th, 566th, 567th, 568th, 569th, 570th, 571st, 572nd, 573rd, 574th, 575th, 576th, 577th, 578th, 579th, 580th, 581st, 582nd, 583rd, 584th, 585th, 586th, 587th, 588th, 589th, 590th, 591st, 592nd, 593rd, 594th, 595th, 596th, 597th, 598th, 599th, 600th, 601st, 602nd, 603rd, 604th, 605th, 606th, 607th, 608th, 609th, 610th, 611st, 612th, 613th, 614th, 615th, 616th, 617th, 618th, 619th, 620th, 621st, 622nd, 623rd, 624th, 625th, 626th, 627th, 628th, 629th, 630th, 631st, 632nd, 633rd, 634th, 635th, 636th, 637th, 638th, 639th, 640th, 641st, 642nd, 643rd, 644th, 645th, 646th, 647th, 648th, 649th, 650th, 651st, 652nd, 653rd, 654th, 655th, 656th, 657th, 658th, 659th, 660th, 661st, 662nd, 663rd, 664th, 665th, 666th, 667th, 668th, 669th, 670th, 671st, 672nd, 673rd, 674th, 675th, 676th, 677th, 678th, 679th, 680th, 681st, 682nd, 683rd, 684th, 685th, 686th, 687th, 688th, 689th, 690th, 691st, 692

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EGG, Estate Agent, 61, King-street, Newtown.

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FURNISHED COTTAGE RESIDENCES.

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W. H. Hulse, Kogarah.—Auction Sale,
November 15. Garraw and Hamilton.

WANTED, by trustworthy Girl, Situation, private family, commencing Jan. 1, 1910.

WANTED, a **BERBERIAN**, 1 1/2 days.
WANTED, **CHINA** natives, **musical**, and **useful**. Fred. Allen, London Hotel, Burlington, N. J.
WANTED, **HOUSEMAID**, and to **assist in** business. J. Mitchell, 121, Henderson-road, Kiev.
WANTED, **CARTER**, for **work**, **desires** to **assist** in business. J. Mitchell, 121, Henderson-road, Kiev.
WANTED, **respectable BOY**, as **generally useful**, **steady work**, the **Wanted** **man** **desires** to **assist** in business. J. Mitchell, 121, Henderson-road, Kiev.
WANTED, **strong young MAN** or **lad**, **useful**, **useful**. J. Collins, butcher, tram **road**, Worcester.
WANTED, a **young girl** as **General SERVANT**. Mrs. W. Griffith, Church-street, Walsby, W. Yorks.
WANTED, **respectable COOK**, **SRVANT** (Fem.), **small family**. Mr. Rogers, Rose, Minster-road, Worcester.
WANTED, **MAN**, **useful**, **useful**. Mr. Rogers, Rose, Minster-road, Worcester.
WANTED, **strong YOUNG** **for** **scullery**. J. Allen, 10, North Hill, Worcester.
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WANTED, **C. and L.** for **suburbs**. J. J. Good General, for Stannmore, 140, Elizabeth-street.
WANTED, a **strong MAN** **for** a **dairy**, **referred** to **Charing** **road**, **W. Yorks**.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL as General
Sewant, also a Nurgent. Honeyside, 7, Glace-
street.
WANTED, a young GIRL to assist in Housework.
Mrs. White, near the Market, 10, Market-
street.
WANTED, married Complex, Gardener, and
Groom and useful, Youth. Glace's, 11, Hatter-
street.
WANTED, a smart WAITER. 76, Market-
street.
WANTED, Waitresses, Housemaids, Cooks,
Landladies, G. Berrie, Dials Agency, 41, Hatter-
street.
WANTED, Youth or Young Man, to milk and
look himself well. Hatter's, 11, Market-
street.
WANTED, a good GENERAL SERVANT, 31,
Kilney-attard, Barry Hill.
WANTED, TWO WAITRESSES and one House-
maid. No. 14, Kilmestown.
WANTED, useful GIRL, also LAD. Apply at
K. London Dining Rooms, Abernethy-street.
WANTED, a female COOK; recs. required.
Apply at once, 10, Kilmestown.
WANTED, respectable GIRL, to assist with two
children. 260, Davenport-street, Walsingham.
WANTED, respectable GIRL, 15, mind body;
stays at home, 10, Kilmestown.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Apply
Adams, 67, Hunter-street, near Macquarie-street.

WANTED, Homestead DRIVER to Hunt Gals-
burn, in the C. & C. Colonies.

WANTED, 5 (five) Servants, Ashfield, 4 in fam;
Fitzroth, good wages. Parties 10 in fam. (Leichard).

WANTED, a strong Irish lad, accustomed to butch-
ery, 5, Fleming-street, N. Leichard.

WANTED, good General SERVANT. Apply Mrs.
Ringham, Edgemoor, Leichard-rose, Penmar Hill.

WANTED, Practical Cook, for a family and other-
wise useful, refs. Southern Cross, (Leichard).

WANTED, good General SERVANT. Apply 106,
Fitzroth, Kewleen, between 5 and 10 a.m.

WANTED, respectable female General Servant, 10
Leichard, refs. Apply early Sat., Taravan-street, 8 h.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT in a small
family. Leichard House, Fitzroth, Misson Pk.

WANTED, a respectable female General Servant,
5 a.m., Ashbury & Boyd, Royal Hotel Pk., Hotel, 2nd
District.

WANTED, PANTRYMAN. Apply Paris
House.

WANTED, an experienced WAITER; also a
Youth to assist, 31, Park-street.

WANTED, a young WOMAN, cook, part housework, no washing. 21, Bow-street, Darlington.

WANTED, three Pick or small sheep, 1000s. per week. Apply W. Matthews, Redfern.

WANTED, old steady Stonebrakers, 12 to 14yd. After 2 p.m. Wednesday, Gloucester-street, Newry.

WANTED, a MAN to do general housework, 16, Louisa-street, two doors off Oxford-street.

WANTED, a young Girl as General Servant, no washing or ironing. 3, Mac-ror, East-End, Ranelagh.

WANTED, a young Girl as General Servant for D. Bay. Mrs. J. WILLIAMS, Knapplough, Carrickfergus.

WANTED, a useful BOY, Carlton House, Weymouth.

WANTED, a useful Girl about 14. Mrs. Fitz-chard, Chatterton House, Irregular, Newry.

WANTED, a neat and tidy Nursemaid, about 15 years of age. Dundas, Back-avenue, Mount-street.

WANTED, GIRL, a neat and childless, used in housework, 125, Devon-street, Campbell-street, Newry.

WANTED, respectable Girl as General Servant, Harcourt's New Quay, 3, Newry.

WANTED, a GIRL, to make herself generally useful. Apply Durbach, Market-street, Farnley.

WANTED, respectable young GIRL, Madeline
Guthrie, London, N. Y. Apply to Mrs. J. W. Smith,
Wanted, respectable young GIRL, attend little
boy, sleep home. Thelma, 28 Mar-17, L. D. W.
WANTED, a strong GIRL for housework, sleep home.
M. J. Williams, 1514 W. 12th St., Fremont, Cal.
WANTED, a useful GIRL, 250, Doring-street,
near William-street.
WANTED, a young GIRL as General Servant.
Apply early, St. William's, South, Berkeley.
Wanted, young Lady assistant Light Business and
keep books. Address C. and Co., Box 7, P. O.
Wanted, a respectable GIRL to assist with
housework. Apply to Mrs. J. C. Pittman, 100
Wanted, exp. Barnardo, city refs., Household,
Nurse, two children Grant and Co., 38, Charlotte-
WETNASK wanted. Apply De. Best Shirts,
ED. H. Eisenbach, 117 E. 14th St. New York
Wanted, near Ryde, a Married Man as
COACHMAN, must have good references. Apply to
Terry, Abber, Edgewood-road, in Maudslayi-mews
Wanted, MAILED COUPLE, man grown,
parent, mild, wife s. servant, must be good cook.
W. F. Zander, Dulwich House, Arden-street, Rotherhithe,
LONDON, E. 1.

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WANTED, for Miss Vale, a trustworthy and experienced NURSE for two children, both in arms. No good plain GUY, references required. Apply L.V. 104, Phillips-street, Miss Vale.

WANTED at once, 9 good General good wages, the like; if useful GUY. Apply early morning, 104, Phillips-street, Miss Vale. Selling Mrs. Rusk's Registry, Alfred-street, North Shore.

WANTED, a young Woman as CHILDREN'S MAID and Sewing-woman. She is to do a little housework. Permanent. Apply at Victoria and Manly meeting Mrs. E. F. Stephens, Kentworth, Victoria-street.

WIDOW will give good Christian School for her own family. Apply Saturday afternoon, 10, 10, Flanagan-street, North Shore.

WANTED, a clean, tidy GIRL, about 14, to train for housework, good wages. Address MATHEW, Post-office, Manukiri.

NEXT SATURDAY, on the Ground, North Sydney-road, North Shore. Popular Terms—25 applied, balance to be won.

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